

# 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Environmental Show of the South

Chattanooga Convention Center

May 16, 2018

## This is Me

- Grew up on a farm in Kentucky
- My parents still live there
- I worked for General Motors before I came to TDEC
- 7 years as Deputy Commissioner
- Two children,
   Jessi and John







## **TDEC Gives back**

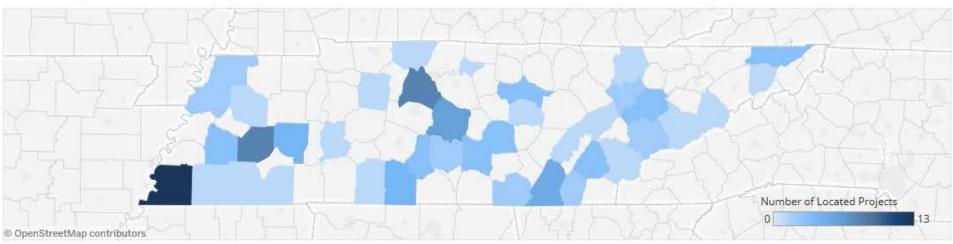


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## **Brownfield Development**

#### Located Project Commitments on Brownfield Sites

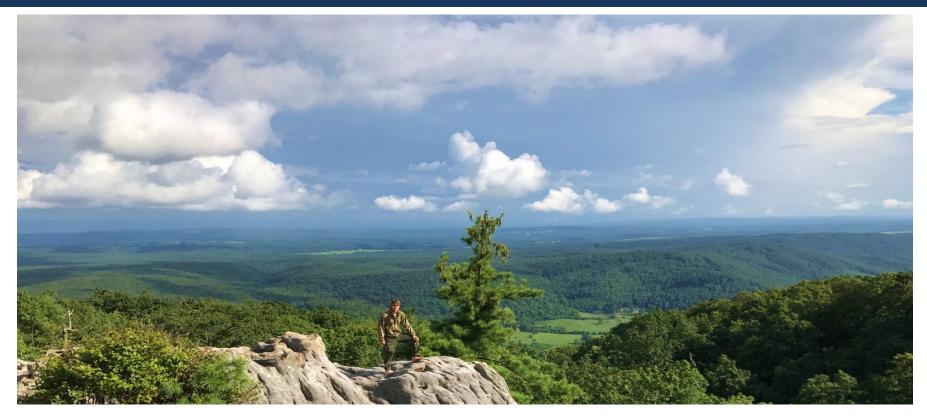


<sup>\*</sup> Projects that do not have an address will not appear on the map. Some companies that are in the process of new development may not have an address due to construction on an undeveloped site.

104 Number of Projects 18,502 New Job Commitments \$4,319,641,268
Capital Investment



## Historical Air Quality



"Today, Tennessee's air is as clean as it has been since the beginning of the modern industrial era. We are a state that protects the environment while growing our economy – it is not an 'either, or' scenario in Tennessee. Today's announcement is another indicator that we can achieve both."



## Investing in Parks



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## TN H2O: Tennessee's Water Plan



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## Thank you!

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